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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – HM&FW Department – Misappropriation of Hospital Development Society (HDS) funds under National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) Programme by Medical Officers of PHCs in Srikakulam, Visakhapatnam, Vizianagaram, East Godavari, Krishna, Guntur, Nellore, Chittoor, Anantapur, Kadapa, Warangal and Ranga Reddy districts – Action taken report submitted – Disciplinary action initiated – Enquiry report submitted - Further action dropped against Dr Kurmanath, formerly Medical Officer, Veeraghattam, Srikakulam District (Retired) – Orders- Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (VC.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No:537 **Dated:06-07-2022**

Read the following:

1.From the Director General (V&E) Department, AP, Vigilance ReportNo.107(C.No.618/V&E/D2/09&913/D2/2009,dt:4.9.2010.
2. The DPH&FW, AP, Vijayawada, Memo.Rc.No.8334/VC.I.A/ 2011-1, Dated:28.05.2013
3. From DPH&FW A.P., Vijayawada letter Rc.No.19352/VC.I.A/ 2013 Dtd.16-2-202 together with it's enclosures

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O R D E R:

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, General Administration (V&E) Department has stated that the Vigilance & Enforcement Department have conducted enquiries on utilization of Hospital Development Society (HDS) Funds under National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) Programme in certain Districts and the enquiries revealed several irregularities were committed in utilization of the said funds and has recommended for appropriate disciplinary action against against Dr Kurmanath, formerly Medical officer, Veeraghattam, Srikakulam District (Retired).

2. Accordingly, in the reference 2nd read above the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., has initiated Appropriate disciplinary action against Dr Kurmanath, formerly Medical officer, Veeraghattam, Srikakulam District (Retired) as recommended by the Director General, V&E Department for alleging of misappropriation of Hospital Development Society funds.

3. In the reference 3rd above the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada has forwarded the explanation of the Charged Officer, Dr Kurmanath, formerly Medical officer, Veeraghattam, Srikakulam District (Retired) into the charges framed against him to the Government as the Charged Officer was retired from the Service on attaining the age of superannuation.

4. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby drop further action againstagainst Dr Kurmanath, formerly Medical officer, Veeraghattam, Srikakulam District (Retired).

5. The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada shall take further necessary in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MUDDADA RAVI CHANDRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Dr Kurmanath, formerly Medical officer, Veeraghattam, Srikakulam District (Retired) through the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada
The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada

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